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Applicant : Michael Pothier
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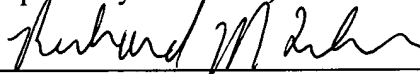
1. Response To Office Action Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 [22 pgs.];
2. Petition for Three-Month Extension [1 pg.];
3. Check No. 2071 in the amount of \$110.00; and
4. a Return Postcard.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due to Deposit Account No. **50-0311**, Ref. No. 27996-119, Customer No. 35437. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

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Date: 8/6/04

Respectfully submitted,



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the April 6, 2004 Office Action in the above-identified application. With the extension, a Response is due on or before August 6, 2004. A check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), for a large entity, is enclosed herewith.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 27996-119, Customer No. 35437. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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